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SUBMISSION BY PATENT OWNER UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.501

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U.S. Patent Documents

Examiner Initials	Patent Number	Inventor	Issue Date	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
	6,313,759	Musland-Slipper et al.	11/06/2001	

Foreign Patent Documents

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Other Documents (including Author, Title, Date, Pages, etc.)

Examiner Initials		
	A	"Aircraft Inspection Report" (D1-1)
	B	"Bill of Sale" (D1-2)
	C	"A330/A340 Certification document" (D2)
	D	"A340 Flight crew operating manual" (D2 bis)
	E	"AFAS User Forum" (D4)
	F	"An Assessment of Flight Experiences" (CG1)

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